

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
District of Massachusetts

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

CRISTINA CASSIANO

STATEMENT OF REASONS

Case Number: **1: 04 CR 10277 - 001 - RCL**

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Defendant's Attorney



The court adopts the factual findings and guideline application in the presentence report.



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Court dispensed with requirement of pre-sentence investigation in view of the presentation by the parties of sufficient information to allow the court meaningfully to exercise its sentencing authority. (See attached joint motion)

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Guideline Range Determined by the Court:

Total Offense Level:

8

Criminal History Category:

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Imprisonment Range:

0

to

6

months

Supervised Release Range:

2

to

3

years

Fine Range:

\$ \$1,000.00

to \$ \$10,000.00

Defendant's Soc. Sec. No.: 000-00-0000

09/20/04

Defendant's Date of Birth: 00-00-1978

Date of Imposition of Judgment

Defendant's USM No.: 25344-038

Signature of Judicial Officer

Defendant's Residence Address:

/s/The Honorable Reginald C. Lindsay

Judge, U.S. District Court

Name and Title of Judicial Officer

9/23/04

Date

Defendant's Mailing Address:

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Total Amount of Restitution: \$ _____

Discretionary restitution is not ordered because the complication and prolongation of the sentencing process resulting from the fashioning of a restitution order outweighs the need to provide restitution to any victims, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3663(a)(B)(ii) (or in offenses committed before April 23, 1996, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3663(d)).

Restitution pursuant to the mandatory victim restitution provisions is not ordered in this title 18 property offense because the number of identifiable victims is so large as to make restitution impracticable, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3663A(c)(3)(A).

Restitution pursuant to the mandatory victim restitution provisions is not ordered in this title 18 property offense because determining complex issues of fact and related to the cause of amount of the victim's losses would complicate or prolong the sentencing process to a degree that the need to provide restitution to any victim is outweighed by the burden on the sentencing process, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3663A(c)(3)(B).

For offenses committed on or after September 13, 1994 but before April 23, 1996 that require the total amount of loss to be stated, pursuant to Chapters 109A, 110, 110A, and 113A of Title 18, restitution is not ordered because the economic circumstances of the defendant do not allow for the payment of any amount of a restitution order, and do not allow for the payment of any or some portion of a restitution order in the foreseeable future under any reasonable schedule of payments.

Partial restitution is ordered, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3553(c), for the following reason(s):

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The sentence is within the guideline range, that range does not exceed 24 months, and the court finds no reason to depart from the sentence called for by the application of the guidelines.

OR

The sentence is within the guideline range, that range exceeds 24 months, and the sentence is imposed for the following reasons:

OR

The sentence departs from the guideline range:

upon motion of the government, as a result of a defendant's substantial assistance, or
 for the following specific reason(s):



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ADDITIONAL FINDINGS AND GUIDELINES APPLICATIONS EXCEPTION

ADDITIONAL REASONS FOR DEPARTURE FROM THE GUIDELINE RANGE